

General College News

ANTI-TOBACCO LEAGUE
Silence is not always a sign of death and the fact that the Berea Anti-Tobacco League has not been mentioned for sometime in the columns of The Citizen is, by no means an evidence of its discontinuation. The Anti-Tobacco work, begun here last year, is still in progress and has even been introduced into other fields by its members during the summer holidays.

The first Anti-Tobacco League meeting of this school year was held Sunday afternoon, September 26, in the Parish House. A number of the former members have not returned, and many of the new students are not yet familiar with the work of this organization, but, despite these things, the number present at the meeting Sunday was twice the number at the first meeting last year. Officers were elected for the coming year. Sam Hughes was chosen president without a dissenting vote. Hughes is a man of exceptional ability and popularity, and the very fact that he is president guarantees a successful year to the League. Burton Johnson was elected vice-president; Lula Owens, secretary; and Sam Seaggs, treasurer. It is needless to say that one would have to search long to find a group of young people who are more capable and who have the work more at heart than the above named officers.

Besides the regular work of the League there will be three interesting contests this year. The annual Anti-Tobacco play contest will, of course, be the foremost. The contest closes, as usual, January 1. Then there will be an Anti-Tobacco poem contest which will close at the same time. In addition to these two contests there will be a subscription contest, closing November 1, the one taking the most subscriptions to the No-Tobacco Journal receiving a prize. A prize will also be given to the winner of the other two contests. Those desiring to participate in any of these contests should give their names to the secretary of the League not later than October 10.

The next meeting of the League will be held in the Parish House, Sunday afternoon, October 10, at 3:30 o'clock. Whether you are interested in the fight against tobacco or not, the League cordially invites you to visit and see what it is doing.

Pearl Instead of a Boil on Man's Neck

Twenty years ago, James Longen of Clifton Heights, Pa., ate some oysters. One of the blades had a pearl which Longen swallowed. He never gave the incident a thought until a few days ago when he had severe pains in a small lump in his neck. Longen thought the lump a boil, so he squeezed it, and the pearl broke through the skin, ending Longen's pains.

Six-Legged Toad.

Marinette, Wis.—Henry Mermans, pioneer resident of Crivitz, Marinette county, claims the distinction of owning one of the largest collections of mounted fur-bearing animals and fish in the state. All of them were killed or caught within a radius of five miles of Crivitz. He expects to add a number of new specimens this year. Among the freaks he has a six-legged toad.

Normal Department

At this beginning of the new school year the Normal Department is composed largely of new students. Many of the old ones are teaching this fall and will not return until the first of the year. Those who are planning to return then are sending in their deposits now, and having a room reserved. This prompt room assignment is saving trouble and guaranteeing them a room.

New students are registering every day, and some of the old ones are making a tardy appearance. Mr. Andrew J. Russell entered Monday morning.

We are to have Mr. Ross, a new gymnasium director, here soon. This is going to be a splendid course, and one different from any we have scheduled heretofore.

The Dodge House has been moved to a new site, and the work of remodeling the interior is going on. It is to be finished over completely, and heat and light from the main power plant installed. This will make it one of the best Normal girls' dormitories on the grounds.

Next Monday, October 4, will be Mountain Day. We anticipate a delightful outing on this day. The Normal School is to have its Mountain Day separate from the College this year. On this day the students visit those points of historical interest, East and West Pinnacles.

The Philomathean Literary Society met Saturday evening in the girls' gymnasium, and an entertaining program was enjoyed. After the program, refreshments were served. These were prepared by the five old members of the Society. There were thirteen new members voted in. Following is a list of the officers: Beulah Whit, president; Edna Clark, vice-president; Minnie Wyley, recording secretary; Leeta Gabb, corresponding secretary; Eula Wagers, treasurer; and Florence Baker, marshal. The Society promises to be more successful this year than ever before.

The Appalachian Literary Society met in Upper Chapel. Several new members were voted in by the Society, and several new officers elected. The program for next Saturday evening promises to be very interesting.

Foundation School

GRANT & LEE SOCIETY

Program for Oct. 20

- Song, Battle Hymn of Republic Society.
- Lincoln's Reading Ray Browning
- The Importance of Athletics .. Orvas Lawson.
- What an Education Means to Us .. Thomas Tutt.
- A Reading, Title, Sun Set .. Edgell Moore.
- The Most Important Event that Ever Happened to Me This Summer .. Andy Skeens.
- Reproduced Story Walker Cosby
- Ambassador to Franklin Patrick McCray.
- Debate: Resolved that General Grant was a Greater Man Than General Lee.
- Affirmative—
Albert Maltby
Raymond Ritchie
- Negative—
Erman Lykins
Raymond Tribby
- Raleigh Hall, Pres.
Arnold E. Pigman, Sec.

Berea College Alumni Association

(This space belongs to the Alumni Association of Berea College. Articles, news items and personal letters from graduates will be published in full or in abstract every week. The Alumni Editor, Secy. M. E. Vaughn, Berea College, Berea, Ky., will be pleased to receive any communication of interest from members of the Association.)

CLASS OF 1919

Collins, Boyd Maurice, Ph.B. Born Ruthledge, Tenn. Address, Livia, Ky.

Hackney, Paul Arnold, A.B. Born Frenchburg, Ky. Address, Frenchburg, Ky.

Van Hook, Joseph O., B.Ped. (Ph.B. 1920). Born Ocala, Ky. Address, Berea, Ky.

Back, Edith Anne, A.B. Born, Frenchburg, Ky. Address, Ipava, Ill.

Back, Elva Mae, A.B. Born Frenchburg, Ky. Address, Diverton, Ill.

Berg, Eugenia Belle, B.Ped. Born Kendall, Wis. Address, Kendall, Wis.

Bowman, Helen, A.B. Born Berea, Ky. Married Oscar Harrison. Address, Whites Station, Ky.

Clayton, Katrina, B.Ped. Born Flemingsburg, Ky. Address, Vanceburg, Ky.

Hammans, Clota Mae, B.L. Born Jackson, Ky. Address, Jackson, Ky.

Lewis, Florence VanFassen, B.L. Born Lawrenceville, Va. Address, Lawrenceville, Va.

Lewis, Mabel Irene, B.L. Born Berea, Ky. Address, 655 Maxwellton Court, Lexington, Ky.

Lewis, Maude Kennedy, B.Ped. Born Fairview, Va. Address, Fairview, Va.

McDaniel, Eva Belle, B.S. Born Uree, N. C. Address, Uree, N. C.

Marsh, Mary Kate, B.L. Born Cynthiana, Ky. Address, Cynthiana, Ky.

Ogg, Lillian Ream, B.S. Born Berea, Ky. Address, Berea, Ky.

Parker, Ella Ree, B.Ped. Born Williamsburg, Ky. Address, Williamsburg, Ky.

Russel, Tommye, B.Ped. Born Newbern, Tenn. Address, Newbern, Tenn.

Weidler, Mrs. Josephine M., A.B. Born Frenchburg, Ky. Wife of A. G. Weidler. Address, Berea, Ky.

WORD FROM MR. HACKETT

Harold W. Hackett, Class 1915, wife and baby sailed for Japan, August 20. Mr. Hackett goes for the American Board of Foreign Missions as Treasurer for the Japan Mission with headquarters at Kobe. Kobe is the largest commercial center in Japan. It is quite satisfying to know that Honorable John Kenneth Caldwell, a Berea Alumnus of the Class of 1905, is the American Counsel at Kobe. Mr. Hackett writes in part as follows:

The voyage is wonderful. Most of the days are quiet and the nights glorified by moonlight. On the seventh day out we came in sight of the Hawaiian Islands. I assure you it looked mighty good to see land again, and there was a pleasant feeling in the fact that we were nearing the land of Uncle Sam. We had to line up in the dining saloon and file out past the quarantine officers who passed upon our condition of health. We steamed into Pearl Harbor, Honolulu, about eight a. m. I had often heard about the boys diving for pennies, but had never witnessed the act before. There they were, about twenty of the native lads, in the water near our ship with their eager faces upraised, exploring a chance to exhibit their skill and, incidentally, to profit by searching for the coins that were tossed overboard. The day was one of memory. We had the experience of shopping at the Honolulu stores, of visiting the palace where the king and queens ruled in the old days and which is now used by the United States as offices for the Governor and Local Assembly. We were conducted by a native Hawaiian, who was a United States soldier in the war. We each had on an American Legion button, and thus a mutual tie. We then took the street car to the Beach at Waikiki, which has become celebrated in Hawaiian music and song. Right in the shadows of Diamond Head, the large crater which is called the Gi-

brater of the Pacific, is this wonderful beach at which the bathing is superb the year around. We did not go out into the surf, as the time was limited. I purchased a ukulele, and passed away some time very enjoyably reviewing some of the tones that Lloyd taught us and learning some others. The island was simply beautiful, the trees with their brilliant foliage, the abruptly rising hills, the city nestling around the base of them, the beautiful coloring of the sea, the peaceful and easy trend of the native life made indeed a seeming paradise on earth. Joaquin Miller has said of them, "The Hawaiian Islands are not a group, as often miscalled, but a string of islands—a string of pearls, if you please—a string of rare and precious pearls in the sapphire center of the great American Sea."

We steamed out of the harbor at 6 p. m. and saw again the beautiful sight we saw at entry, the rugged hills, the Oriental foliage, the public buildings, the church towers showing above the rest, and the beautiful sea embracing it all. We only wished you all could have shared it with us. The trip has been very enjoyable. We met a fine man, with wife and one child, going back to Korea. He is a doctor employed by a mining company. They are splendid, strong Christian people and have invited us to visit them during some summer vacation. We anticipate the visit and the chance of seeing some of the Korean problems at first hand.

Each Sunday morning we enjoyed the religious services and the sermons delivered by the ministers on board. A swimming pool was built on the lower deck and some very pleasant hours were spent in diving into the water. Our sports were Quoits, Deck Tennis, Ping Pong and Shuffle Board. We occasionally had a movie at night.

On the sixteenth day out we were ordered to get ready for debarking, for on the morning of the seventeenth we were to land in Yokohama Harbor. As I finish this letter, we are nearing Japan, the island country, our new home, the rudder of the Orient.

You will hear again from us.
Always,
Harold W. Hackett



1—Police routing a truck load of New York soldiers in Berlin taking part in a demonstration against further warfare. 2—Dr. L. S. Rowe (left), new director of the Pan-American union, and John Barrett, whom he succeeds.

CAMPAIGN OF 1920

By Prof. LeVant Dodge
V. The League of Nations
(Continued from Sept. 16)

In the treatment of this subject, as found in a former number of The Citizen, attention was called to the fact that President Wilson has made that measure the supreme object of endeavor, hoping to make its success the foundation of his own imperishable fame. It is not claimed that he is moved by unselfish ambition. It may be readily granted that he hopes for good to the world, if his policy is carried into effect. But more and more of us are coming to see that he is more of an idealist than practical statesman, and that in pushing his "League of Nations" unmodified to the "bitter end" he is adding another to his list of mistakes. Among his striking utterances, since seen to be great blunders, were the following: Saying, after the sinking of the Lusitania, that we are "too proud to fight," expressing the opinion that peace must come "without victory," appealing to the country, in the midst of the war, to elect a Congress of one party and such as would follow his personal leadership; republishing Cabinet officers as if they were little children; and violently condemning Senators with more experience than himself, who have many times been elected to represent their respective states. By declaring himself in full accord with the President now, Mr. Cox commits himself to the League, with all its most objectionable features, no matter how much he may have hedged in regard to it.

It is interesting to notice how ready many good people were to accept the Wilson League, without stopping to read it. Think of a Sunday public meeting in Berea with the chairman announcing that only one side of the question would be discussed and that any who should hesitate in supporting the League were disloyal or German sympathizers! Think of sending a telegram to Washington saying that a large audience unanimously demanded the immediate ratification of Treaty and League, inasmuch as those of us not in the habit of signing notes in blank did not get up a row by making a protest on the spot! On another occasion some of us did vote to send a telegram whose words we knew, because each person was left free to judge what should be considered "reasonable reservations" and because to refrain from voting might seem to be a dissent from the expressed hope that the President, then ill, would recover. Ever since the first opening up of the subject the trend of thought against the original League has been steady and rapid. Its supporters have been driven to express a willingness to accept more and more interpretations. Even Mr. Wilson has been forced, finally, to take a step or two in that path. But he insists that we must not "take the heart out of it." In other words, no changes must go beyond verbal explanations. Few persons would assume to improve upon phraseology which is O. K'd by that master of English, President Wilson. It is the very "heart" or core of the document that we want to modify, or else throw the whole thing into the waste basket.

It is a favorite saying, of those who have been led almost to worship the proposed League, that the Senators who oppose it are wholly moved by hatred of President Wilson and by

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EXPENSES FOR THE FALL TERM

	Men	Women
Incidental fee for the term	\$ 6.00	\$ 6.00
Room upkeep for the term	7.80	7.80
Board, 7 weeks	19.25	17.50
Amount due first of term	\$33.05	\$31.30
Board, 6 weeks, due middle of term	\$16.50	\$15.00
Total for term	\$49.55	\$46.30

For Vocational and Foundation students, subtract \$1.00 from the above incidental fee. For College students, add \$1.00. Every student must send \$4.00 deposit in advance, otherwise, room will not be reserved. Commerce, Stenography, Typewriting and Penmanship are from 50c. to \$1.00 a week extra. Music is also from 50c. to \$1.00 a week extra.



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